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Pleasant Surprise

IT is a pleasant relief to read for once that a British protectorate at its first general election has voted in a strong and relatively moderate party. In the voting figures for the new Malayan legislature so far received perhaps the only surprise is that the "Triple Alliance"—the main "Malayan political group" which was generally expected to win—has done so well.

British policy for the Federation aims at moulding a multi-racial society into a single nation. At the polls yesterday, the 1,280,000 voters of whom there were 180,000 Chinese had the choice of several parties and it was generally conceded that while the left did not constitute any real threat (Labour put up only four candidates), Malayan nationalism might.

And there was a good deal of apprehension at the prospect that the conservative Malayan nationalist Party Negara might score a convincing success with the election of a majority of its 30 candidates. Two other parties—smaller, and slightly less nationalistic in approach—contested the election but according to the results so far received they have not figured in the poll at all.

THE prospect of a coalition of these three with Negara holding the reins and wielding the whip to rouse traditional Malay suspicions of other races was indeed an unhappy one. The rout of these forces, however, poses another possible source of danger which cannot be overlooked.

The Triple Alliance radically overhauled its election manifesto when confronted with the aspirations of the Party Negara and its "Malaya First" policies. Into their comparatively mild dish of staple conventional politics the Alliance put a fair dose of nationalist ginger. Now it seeks independence by 1959 (Negara offered 1960).

Malay is to be the national language, and Malayisation of the civil service to be pursued vigorously. Although the Alliance programme emerges as the more realistic of the two, much will depend on its application by the new government. Of the 52 Alliance candidates, 25 are Malays, 15 are Chinese and two Indian. The three groups representing separate racial organisations within the Alliance. Obviously if the Malay candidates sweep the poll and the Chinese and Indian candidates fail to Malay opponents, the dangers of consequent racial disunity must be apparent.

THERE is the temporary consolation that in the new legislature, although the constitution gives only a very narrow majority to the elected members (52 out of 98), the High Commissioner can redress the balance by appointing nominated members from other racial groups. But in the meantime one can only hope that the leaders of the United Malays National Organisation are aware of the dangers inherent in a situation where Malay politicians dominate the scene.

Administratively the new Government will control all domestic affairs while defence, external affairs, internal security remain in the hands of the High Commissioner. And all in all it should enjoy a far more comfortable passage into the arena of politics than Mr David Marshall had in Singapore. But there is no likelihood of a primrose path for Malaya. Vigorous and progressive government is needed with a great deal of tolerance and patience to deal with the many problems. These attributes will help a young country on the road to nationhood and democracy.

# HK's Competition In British Textile Market

SHE BEGGED HIM TO  
STOP FLYING

## Lovers Lose Lives In Air Tragedy

Athens, July 27.

Communist Bulgarian anti-aircraft guns today shot down an Israeli airliner carrying 57 persons including the pilot's fiancée, who had begged him to stop flying.

The Iron Curtain shrouded the fate of those aboard, who included five Americans.

War hero Captain Stanley Hinks crash-landed the flaming Constellation six miles inside Red Bulgaria with the lives of 50 passengers and the ending to his private love story riding on his luck.

One of the 50 was auburn-haired Mrs Margit Lettstrom-Morgan, who once told Hinks he would have to stop flying or she would not marry him but who came back and flew with him into the flaming crash today.

An official spokesman for the Greek Ministry of National Defence said tonight:

"We do not know whether any of the persons on board the plane are dead, or whether any are alive, since it crashed six kilometres (3½ miles) inside Bulgarian territory. A six-member Israeli delegation rushed to Salonika on its way to the Greek-Bulgarian border, and in Sofia, Israel pressed for word from the Bulgarian government on the fate of the 51."

The Israeli investigators, escorted by Greek soldiers, were expected to reach the frontier early tomorrow and to demand permission to cross over.

Greek frontier guards said Bulgarian batteries shot down the four-engined blue and silver El Al airliner as it cruised along the Greek-Bulgarian border at 7,400 a.m., today near the Greek village of Petritsi.

The plane, en route from London to Lydda via Paris and Vienna, caught fire and the pilot attempted to crash-land, they said.

Frontier guards said they saw Bulgarian ambulances going to and from the crash scene. But they could not tell whether they were transporting dead or injured.

## Smashing Victory For Alliance Party

Singapore, July 28.

The Alliance Party which favours Malaya independence in four years today scored a smashing victory in the first general elections of the Malaya Federation.

The Party Negara, principal opposition group, conceded defeat early this morning after the Alliance had definitely won 23 seats in the Federal Council.

The elections are for 52 of the 98 seats on the Council. This is the first time that elected representatives of the people will form a majority in the government which will legislate and administer all but three portfolios—finance, external affairs and defence. Those portfolios will remain in the hands of the British colonial officials.

About 1,000,000 persons—or more than 80 per cent of those eligible—voted. No serious incidents were reported.

The Alliance is contesting in all the 52 constituencies while the Party Negara put forth only 20 candidates.

The Alliance (of three political parties—United Malay National Organisation, Malayan Islamic Association and Malayan Indian Congress)—wants independence for Malaya in four years but with a new constitution providing for a fully elected legislature.

It also wants a general amnesty for the Communist terrorists.

The Party Negara seeks independence for Malaya by 1960 and also wants Malay rulers to be retained as constitutional monarchs. (There is one ruler for each of the nine Malay states).

The other five smaller parties, representing religious, labour

## THE IMPERIAL PREFERENCE QUESTION

OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT

London, July 27.

"One of the most careful investigations ever conducted into the question of Hong-kong's competition in the British textile market," was how Mr E. G. A. Grimwood, Director of the Hongkong Government London Office described the report by Mr C. Henniker-Heaton of his recent visit to Hongkong.

"I only wish all our critics were as well-informed as Mr Henniker-Heaton," Mr Grimwood commented.

In his report Mr Henniker-Heaton, who is a Director of the Federation of Master Cotton Spinners Associations, says: "Attention should be given to the question of whether such items as shirts made of Japanese cloth which benefits from export assistance should be allowed to enjoy duty-free entry into England merely because 25 per cent or more has been added to their value by making-up in Hongkong."

This, said Mr Grimwood, was a perfectly valid request. But he felt sure that investigation would show that no shirts made from Japanese cloth were exported to Britain from Hongkong under claim to imperial preference.

"All the Hongkong mills I know," he said, "use their Indian or locally woven cloth. In fact an investigation would probably show that Hongkong shirts have as even higher 'Empire content' than those made in Lancashire."

He went on: "Mr Henniker-Heaton is perfectly entitled to ask for the whole question of imperial preference to be re-examined. But that doesn't imply any criticism of Hongkong. It is a matter entirely for the United Kingdom government. In any case I am convinced that controls over imperial preference are as tight as they can be."

Representatives of the Lancashire cotton industry who called on the President of the Board of Trade, Mr Peter Thorneycroft, to ask for protection against imports of goods from India and Hongkong, are sharply reminded by the Manchester Guardian that the remedy lies in their own hands.

"They are on ground that has its slippery patches," it says. "Mr Thorneycroft can well ask why Lancashire exports have been losing in competition with the exports of West European countries and the United States which aren't, as are Hongkong and Hongkong, low-wage countries. He can quite fairly ask Lancashire whether its loss of exports isn't due largely to its own fault—its preference for an easy home market—and not to the cleverness of competitors."

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## Burglar Who Broke The Golden Rule

Paris, July 27.

A young burglar in the Paris suburb of Champs Le Roi was in prison today because he broke the golden rule of burglary, make no noise.

He entered an apparently empty villa and, far from creeping silently, he stumped about in hob-nailed shoes and broke down a first-floor door with a pick.

But the ground floor was not uninhabited and the noise as the reckless burglar overturned tables and chairs, angered the couple below as they tried in vain to sleep.

Finally, as their ceiling shook violently, they alerted the police to complain about their noisy neighbour.

The police threw a net round the garden of the villa and collared the nubile burglar as he came out with his bundle of booty.—France-Press.

## Secretary Of State Visits Resettlement Areas



Mr Lennox-Boyd waves cheerily to resettled squatters during his visit to resettlement areas in Kowloon this morning. He was accompanied by Lady Patricia Lennox-Boyd who is also seen in the picture together with Mr D. R. Holmes, Commissioner for Resettlement.—Staff Photographer.

## "Never Been More Impressed By Anything In My Life" Says Mr Lennox-Boyd

The Rt Hon Alan Lennox-Boyd, the Secretary of State for the Colonies, said of the Squatter Resettlement project this morning: "I cannot remember ever being more impressed by anything in my life."

After an hour's tour of the Fa Hui squatter area, the Tai Hang Tung Resettlement estate and a drive through the Shek Kip Mei estates to Tai Po Road overlooking the site of the Li Cheng Uk estate, Mr Lennox-Boyd examined a model of the whole project in Kowloon and declared that the main thing he came to Hongkong for was to see something of "the memorable work of resettlement."

He said: "We have heard a great deal about it in England and I wanted to see it for myself. Frankly, I confess I had not realised it was on the magnificent scale I have seen today. It is one of the most stupendous achievements I have ever seen. All who are responsible for it must feel very proud indeed at this really creative and rewarding work. I cannot remember ever being more impressed by anything in my life. This example of initiative, planning, enthusiasm and drive does reflect the very greatest credit on all responsible."

Accompanied by Lady Patricia Lennox-Boyd and his principal Private Secretary, Mr B. Johnston; Mr D. R. Holmes, the Commissioner for Resettlement and Mr P. B. Williams, the Planning Officer, the Secretary of State arrived at the Fa Hui squatter area in Boundary Street just after 9.20 a.m. They were met here by Mr P. Lowe, Divisional Superintendent of Police (Shamshui), and Mr N. Broadbridge, Resettlement Officer (Clearance).

## "He's Very Polite"

As the party walked through the new fire lane cleared last month, a woman was heard to remark of Mr Lennox-Boyd: "He is very polite. He nods to us."

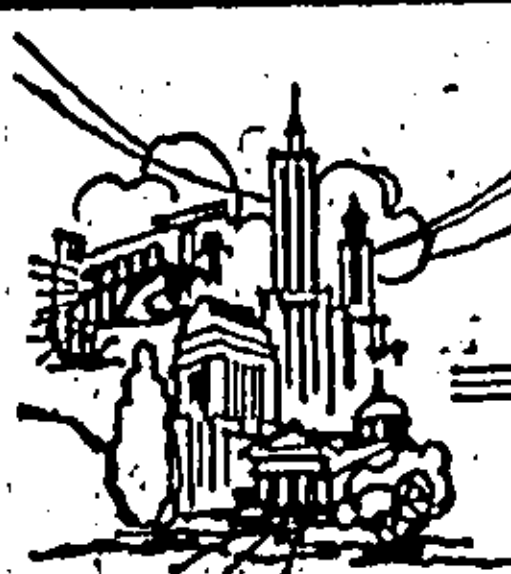
One hundred and twenty-two huts were removed in five days to make the two fire lanes 60 feet wide, in this area which presented one of the worst remaining fire risks in Kowloon. In three days a total of 1,000 persons in these huts were resettled in the Tai Hang Tung estate. Now in Kowloon there is no area where a fire can reach any proportions.

In Fa Hui, one of the biggest squatter areas left, Mr Lennox-Boyd and his wife stopped to look at some of the 300-odd wooden huts which house more than 6,000 squatters.

They went into a two-story hut where a sign painted on the roof announced "Mahjong for Hire." The better cubicles and colourful murals were displayed on the tiny up-stairs verandah.

They were told that the rent for the better cubicles was \$25 a month.

After inspecting the market place in the area, the party drove to a complete change of scenery in the Tai Hang Tung Resettlement Estate. Here in

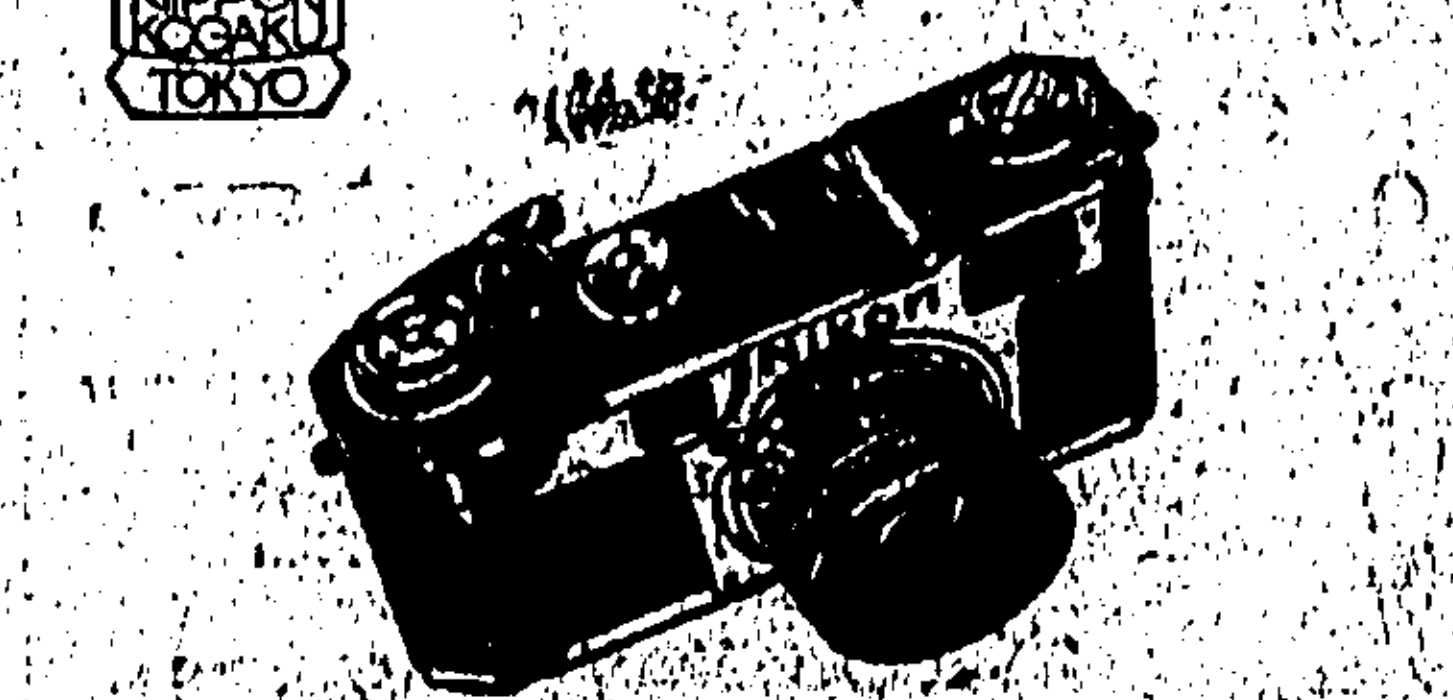


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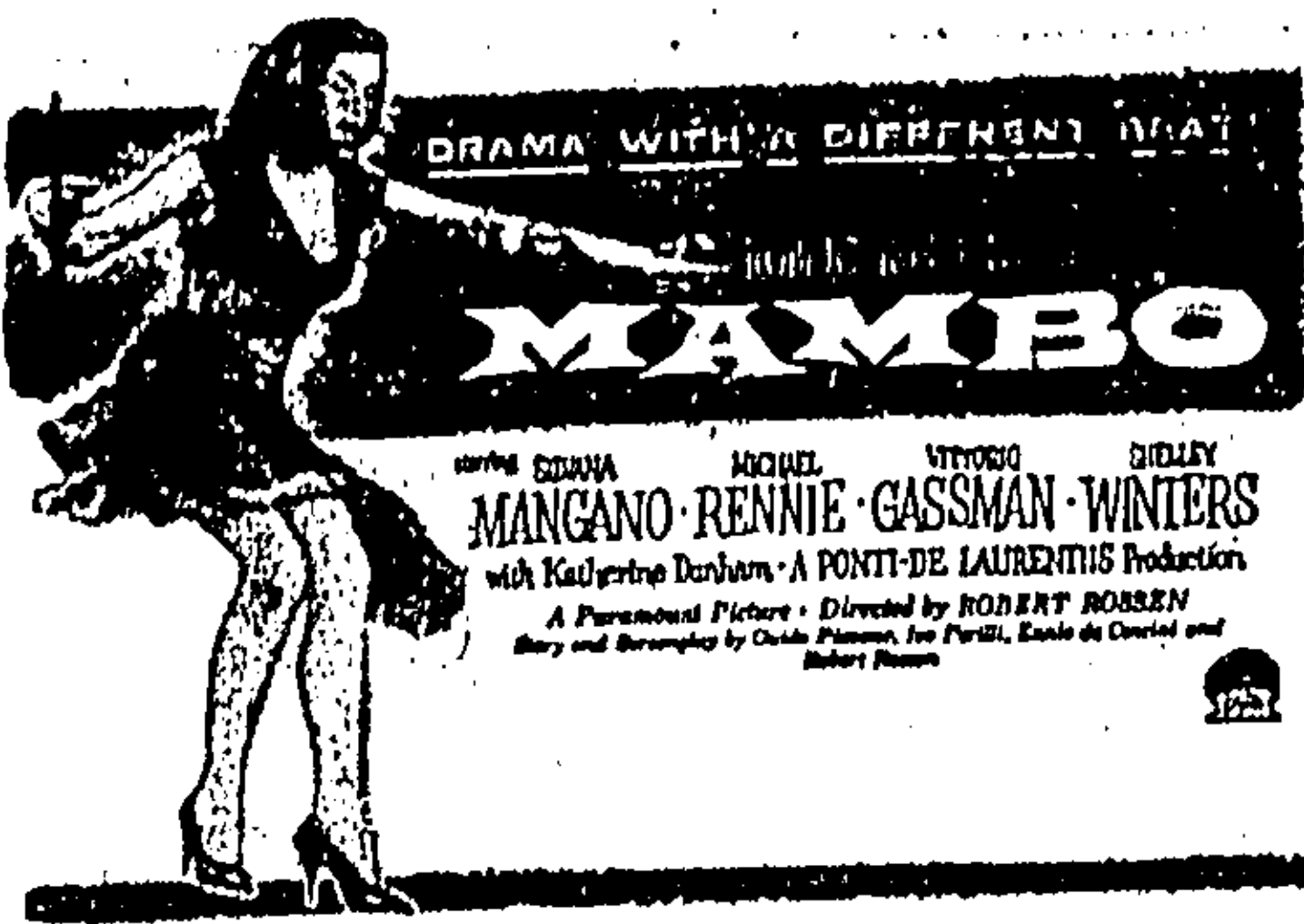


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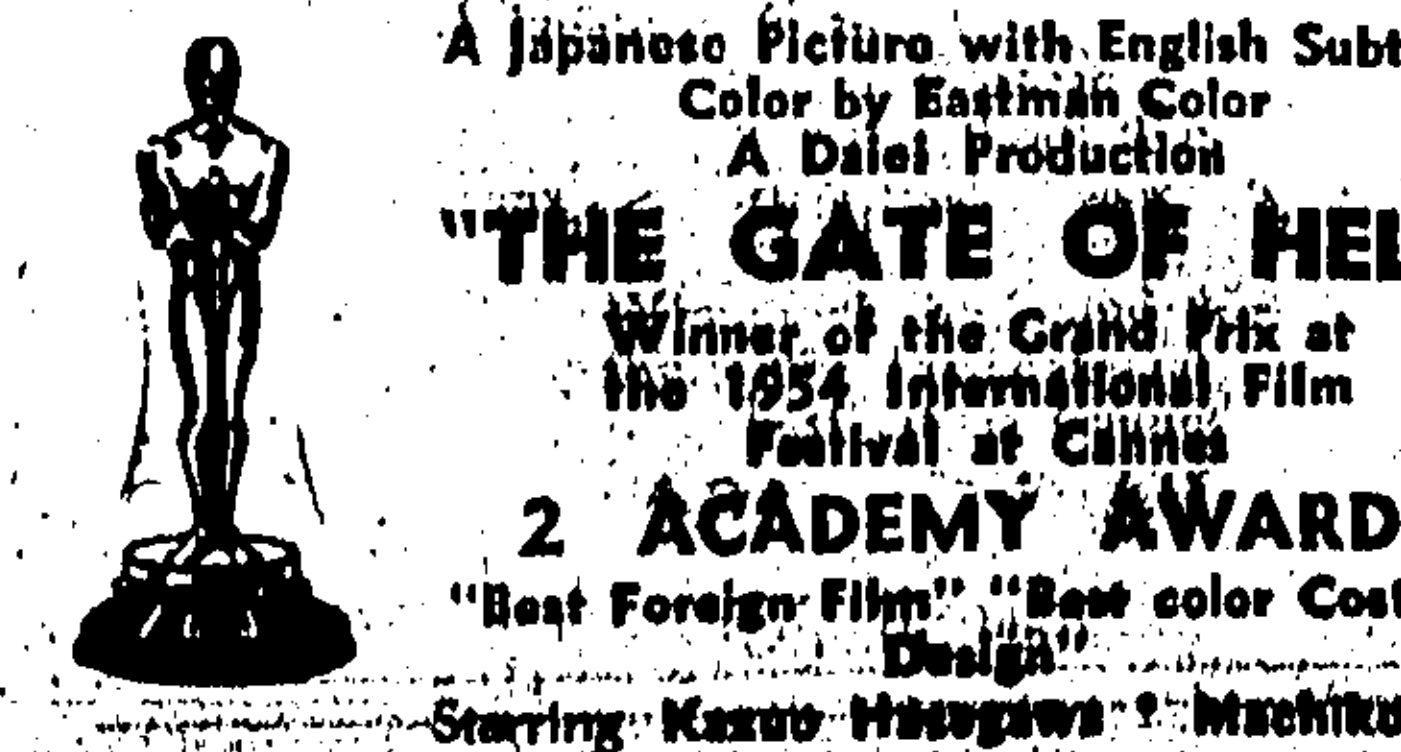
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# East German-Soviet Agreement

## REUNIFICATION AND REVIEW OF WAR CRIMINAL POSITION

London, July 27. The Soviet Union and East Germany are "inflexibly resolved" to bring about the reunification of Germany on a "peace-loving and democratic" basis, according to a communique on the Soviet-East-German talks broadcast today by Moscow and East Berlin radio.

There was also an exchange of views on former German prisoners of war still serving sentences in Russia for "crimes against the Soviet people."

## Ike Expecting 4th Grandchild

Washington, July 27. President Eisenhower announced at his press conference today that he expected to be a grandfather for the fourth time.

Mr. Eisenhower took off a discussion of the Big Four conference to say his daughter-in-law, Barbara, was expecting a fourth child next Christmas.

She is the wife of the President's only son, Major John Eisenhower.—Reuter.

## DRUMMOND MURDERS

## Dominici Questioning Tomorrow

Marseilles, July 27. Convicted triple-murderer Gaston Dominici will be questioned in his prison cell here on Friday by two crack Paris investigators as a first step toward re-investigating his case, it was disclosed today.

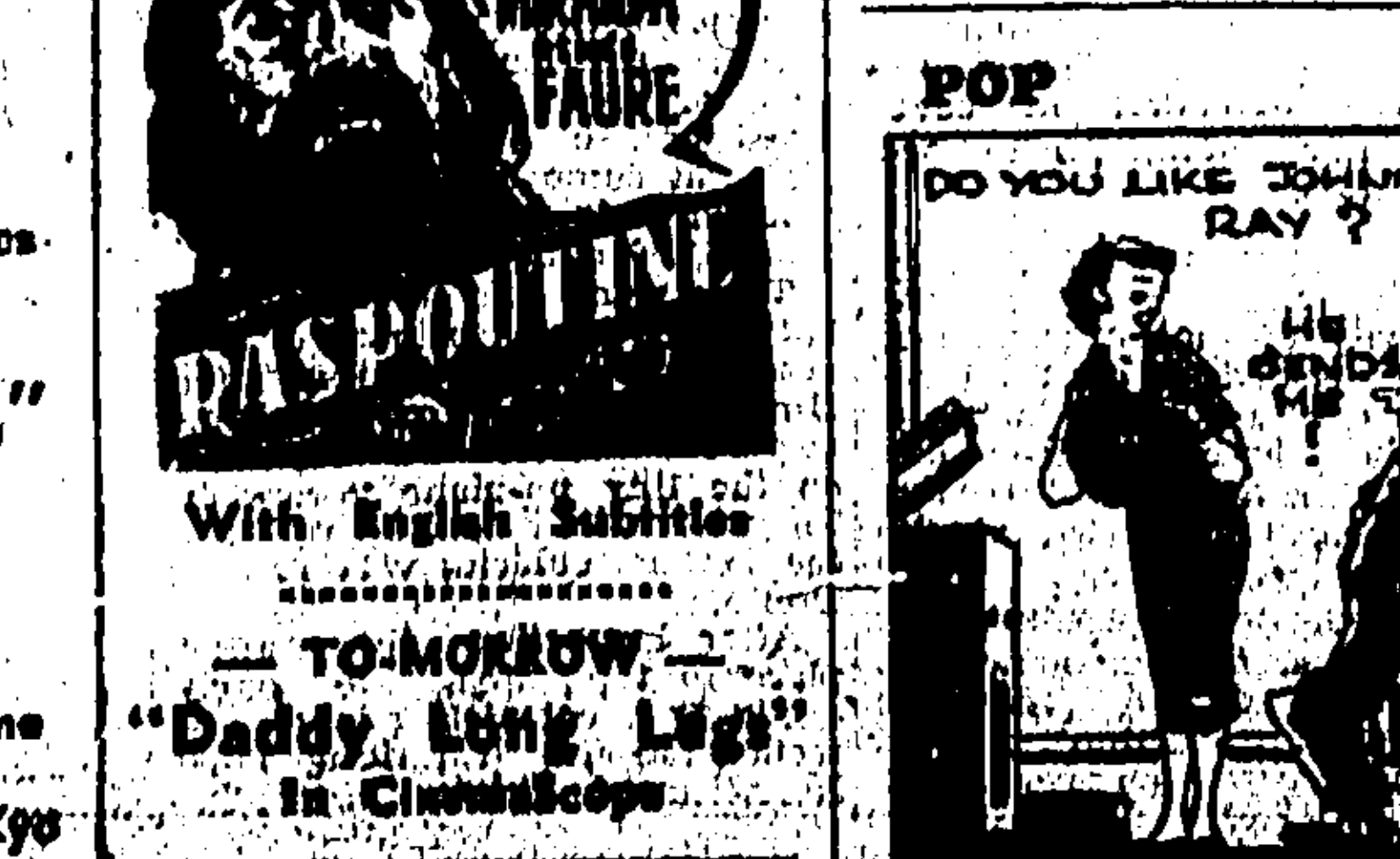
## LADY PAMELA LOSES CAR

London, July 27. Lady Pamela Mountbatten, daughter of Admiral Earl Mountbatten, Britain's First Sea Lord, had her car stolen late last night from a parking site by Hyde Park in the London West End.—China Mail Special.

Investigators have drawn up a list of 400 questions which will be put to the principal witnesses in the case, mostly members of Dominici's immediate family.—France-Press.

## US Would Consider Use Of Base As Indies Federation Capital

Port of Spain, July 27. ANY application by the Government of Trinidad for use of part of the American naval base at Chaguaramas as a temporary British West Indian federal capital would receive "sympathetic consideration" Mr. W. P. Madrox, United States Consul-General here, told newspapermen.



# Law Conference Reception



Sir Thomas White, the Australian High Commissioner in London, welcomed guests at a reception at Australia House for delegates and guests attending the Commonwealth and Empire Law Conference. Picture shows: The Very Rev. Chief Rabbi being greeted on arrival at the reception by the High Commissioner and Lady White.—Express Photo.

## Foreign Aid Accord

Washington, July 27. US Senate and House of Representatives conferred today on a foreign aid bill carrying about \$2,700,000,000 of new funds—some half a billion dollars less than President Dwight D. Eisenhower requested.

House conferees succeeded in knocking out \$420,000,000 of increase voted by the Senate for military assistance and \$50,000,000 the Senate had added to President Eisenhower's fund for Asian development.

## Tiger Lost His Smile—And So Did A Bootlegger

Calcutta, July 27. A bootlegger was saved from the jaws of a man eating tiger by government tax investigators riding an illicit distillery hidden in the dense forests of the state of Orissa in Baripada district, 350 miles south of Calcutta, it was learned today.

The tiger had just seized the bootlegger and was carrying him off to eat when it met the excise men.

Started, the animal dropped its victim.

The revenue officers continued with their raid, as planned, and arrested 50 men, seizing a distilling apparatus with twice the capacity of the government distillery.—France-Press.

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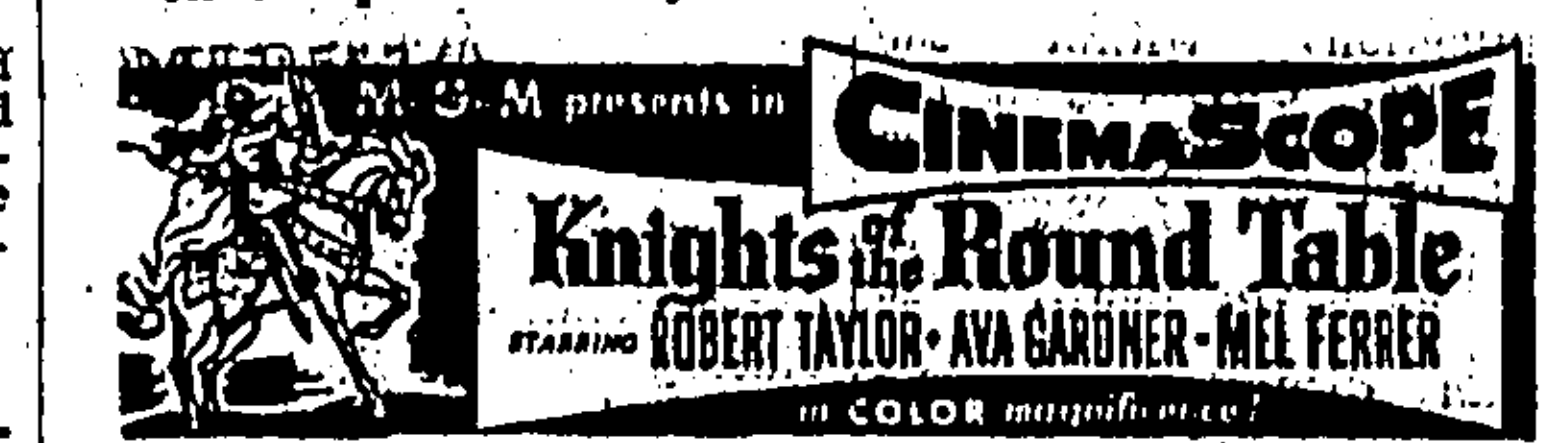
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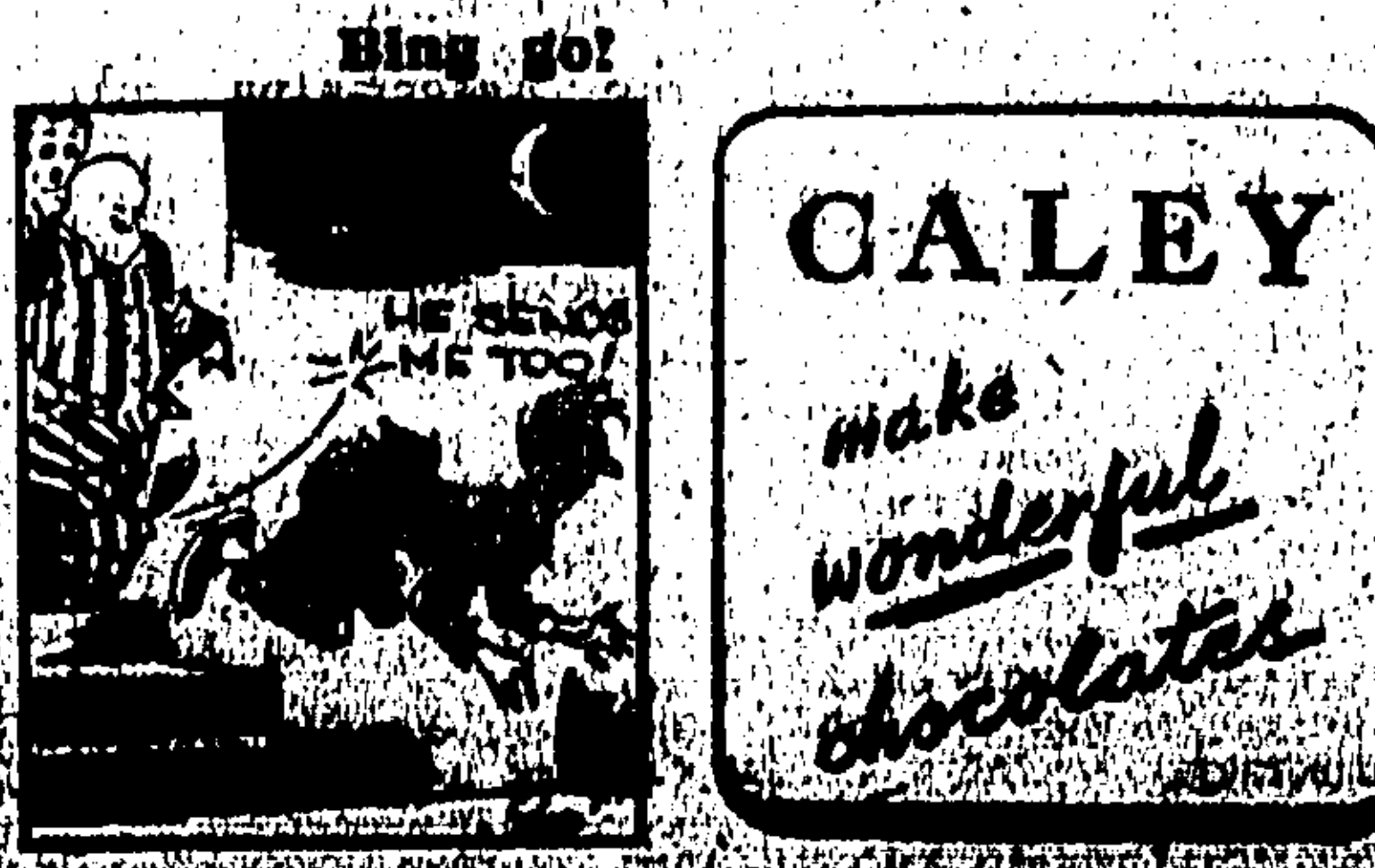
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M. BIDAULT

# BIDAULT THREATENS GOVT

## Warns Against Touching Morocco Sultan

Paris, July 27.

The former French Premier, Georges Bidault, warned today that he would do his best to bring down the government of Premier Edgar Faure if it so much as "touches a hair" of the grey head of Sultan Sidi Mohammed ben Moulay Arafat.

M. Bidault made his threat in a talk to newsmen in the lobby of the National Assembly building. He was referring to the Moroccan Resident-General Gilbert Grandval's moves to appease nationalism in Morocco.

"If M. Grandval is of the same mind as he was last year, I am 100 per cent for him," said M. Bidault. "But if the Government touches a hair of the head of the Sultan I will make his government fall."

### A MAIN BLOC

M. Bidault heads the Catholic Popular Republican (MRP) group in Parliament. The MRP is one of the main blocs in the government coalition and its defection would at the least present a serious threat to M. Faure's government.

The government already is opposed by the Communists and

Socialists, who together control some 200 of the Assembly's seats. The French supported the move that put the aging Ben Arafat on the Moroccan throne after packing his predecessor, Sidi Mohammed Ben Youssef, off to exile in Madagascar.

The incident lay behind the current reign of terror in Morocco that has killed hundreds and wounded thousands in daily outbursts of violence during the past year.

M. Bidault's bombshell statement recalled the successful fight he made against the Radical Socialist Premier, M. Pierre Mendes-France, who fell on the North African question last February.

However, most observers did not believe the Assembly was in any mood to overthrow the government at the moment. M. Faure returned from Geneva with increased prestige as the first French Premier who has sat as a member of the Big Four in an international conference since World War II. In the last Big Four heads of State meeting, France was not represented.

Parliament also is scheduled to leave on vacation next month and the Deputies are eager to get back to their constituencies both for relaxation and mending their fences for the general election next year.—United Press.

## Fast Turboprop Fighter On Test Flight

San Francisco, July 27. The Republic XF84H experimental turboprop fighter plane, rated the fastest single-engine propeller-driven aircraft ever built, has made its first test flight at the Air Force flight test centre at Edwards Air Force Base, California.

The Air Force and Republic Aviation Corporation, announced in a joint statement on Tuesday that the plane was aloft for 35 minutes in its first flight.

Although designated a fighter, Air Force officials said it was capable of carrying heavy armament loads and met requirements for low-level Air Force fighter-bombers or Navy carrier-based dive bombers.—United Press.

## UNRESTRICTED IMMIGRATION INTO BRITAIN

Bad Commonwealth Types Ban Urged

London, July 27.

A Conservative, Mr Cyril Osborne, has urged the Government to ban the immigration into Britain from Commonwealth countries of the "idle, unfit and those with a criminal record."

He also suggested deporting those who joined any of these categories after immigration. All this should be done, he said, irrespective of colour, race or creed.

Mr Evelyn Lloyd George, the Home Secretary, said this was but one aspect of the problem of immigration which the Government had been studying.

### PROTECT OWN COMMUNITY

Mr Osborne said nearly every government in the Commonwealth had the power to exclude Englishmen in these categories. "Have we not the right to protect our own community?" he asked.

Mr Lloyd George said this raised very wide questions and should not be tackled without very careful consideration. While the Government appreciated the possible social consequences of unrestricted entry, there was the importance of maintaining the traditional ties between Britain and the Commonwealth.—China Mail Special.

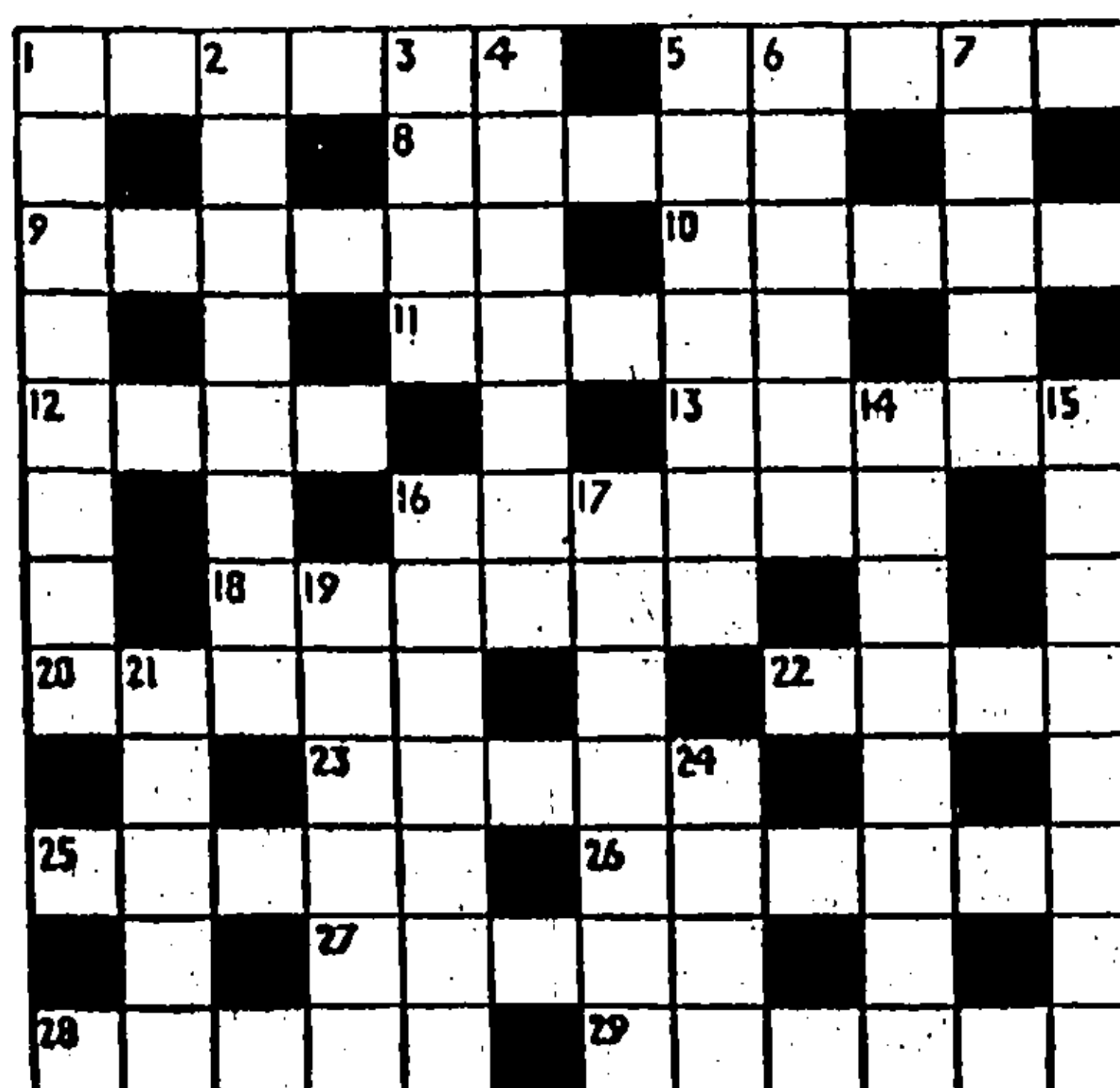
## RAAF Forming Sabre Squadron

Melbourne, July 28.

The Royal Australian Air Force had sufficient Sabre jet fighters to form its first Sabre Squadron. Air Force sources here said, but added that the squadron was not likely to be formed before September.

An Air Force spokesman said there were now more than a dozen Sabres "in various stages of acceptance and operational flying" in the RAAF.—China Mail Special.

## A British Crossword Puzzle



### ACROSS

- 1 Frightened (6).
- 2 Revile (8).
- 3 English county (5).
- 4 Crest (4).
- 5 Snake (5).
- 11 Cricket trophy (5).
- 12 Channel (4).
- 13 Cook (5).
- 14 Zealous (8).
- 15 Endured (6).
- 20 Loss (4).
- 22 Male (4).
- 23 Happen again (5).
- 24 Superior (6).
- 25 Make gloomy (6).
- 27 Anæsthetic (5).
- 28 Shown (5).
- 29 Edict (6).

### DOWN

- 1 Shortened (8).
- 2 Scott (4).
- 3 Nod (4).
- 4 Fruit course (7).
- 5 Protected (7).
- 6 Quipped (6).
- 7 Outhouses (5).
- 14 Asellum (8).
- 15 Small sum of money (8).
- 16 Ayr (7).
- 17 Decayed (7).
- 18 Censure (4).
- 21 Drive back (6).
- 24 Uncommon (4).

YESTERDAY'S CROSSWORD.—Across 3 Ship, 7 Arrows, 8 Idea, 9 Sign, 10 Enamels, 12 Trap, 15 Erase, 18 Ruck, 19 Vogue, 21 Undis, 22 Tute, 23 Erase, 24 Ties, 25 Broom, 26 Feet, 27 Moral, 28 Shame, 29 Horn, Down 1, Trap, 2 Enriched, 3 Ties, 4 Elm, 5 Ties, 6 Ties, 7 Stab, 11 Arrows, 12 Rage, 13 Pear, 14 Evil, 17 Hunt, 18 Kite, 20 Altitude, 22 Rest, 24 Reason, 25 Smart, 27 Item, 28 Spur.

## Casablanca Curfew Relaxed

Casablanca, July 27. General André French, military commander in the Casablanca region, tonight relaxed the strict curfew which has been in force since the rioting in which more than 60 people were killed here a fortnight ago.

While the region is still under martial law and strong army forces are standing by in and around the city, Casablanca residents can now stay out until 11 p.m., but they still cannot leave their homes until 5 a.m.

The army was called upon to restore order by the Moroccan Resident-General, M. Gilbert Grandval, in view of what he termed the "gross insubordination" of the police. Fifty-five police officers have been disciplined for neglect of duty during the rioting. Although the last ten days have been calm in Casablanca, powder keg of the troubled protectorate, extra security measures will be in force next Saturday when Moroccan Moslems celebrate Aid El Kebir, the "Festival of Sacrifice."—Reuter.

## US AIR SECRETARY WAS IN BUSINESS But Denies Using His Influence

Washington, July 27.

Secretary of the Air Force Harold E. Talbott acknowledged on Wednesday he was "mistaken" in promoting his private business from the Defence Department, and announced he was giving up the profitable partnership.

President Dwight D. Eisenhower declared he himself would decide whether Mr Talbott has violated "a proper standard of ethics" and should leave the government. There were reports that Mr Talbott has already resigned, but the White House denied it.

These were the rapid developments as the Senate Investigations Sub-Committee concluded its public hearing on Mr Talbott's dual role of Secretary of Air and partner in a private company.

### NEXT STEP

The next step is up to the President. He told a news conference shortly before the hearings ended that he wouldn't make his decision until all the facts were in.

Mr Talbott swore to the investigating Senators that "I never used my position as Secretary to pressure a living soul to give the company business."

He said he was convinced he had done nothing illegal or unethical in connection with his partnership in the Paul B. Mulligan Company, a New York management consultant outfit from which he drew \$152,032 in his first two years as Air Secretary.

The 63-year-old official said, however, "I now see that I was mistaken in permitting myself to be a part of the Mulligan Company." But he said he had no idea that any sizable defence contracts were involved in the Mulligan affairs. He said he left details to his partner, Paul B. Mulligan.

## Not Marilyn Picture For \$57,000

London, July 27. Mr William Ross, a Scottish Labour member, has complained in the House of Commons at the Government spending £25,000 sterling on a picture which was "not of Marilyn Monroe but of an old woman cooking eggs."

The picture, bought for the National Gallery of Scotland with Government help is by the 17th century Spanish painter, Velasquez.

A Government spokesman told him that the Government and Scotland were "making an investment in treasure, education and in inspiration to all young painters."

Mr Jack Nixon, Brown, Joint Scottish Under-Secretary, said the picture was priced at £27,000 sterling. The Government, as was recently announced, had agreed to pay £25,000 towards it.

The Velasquez was probably the most important painting yet bought by the National Gallery of Scotland, he said. It belonged to the "Concepcion" of the "Duchess of Richmond" and was one of the finest "Velazquez" collections in Britain.—China Mail Special.

## London Lord Mayor Was Impressed

### MOSCOW VISIT

London, July 27. The Lord Mayor of London, Alderman Sir Seymour Howard, flew into London airport today after his visit to Moscow and said that he was most impressed by the sincerity of the Russian people.

"There is a marked change in the demeanour of everybody there. They were most anxious to let me see everything that could be seen, to talk, and they were most friendly."

"They are firmly convinced that the thing they desire above everything is peace, and they have expressed their partnership and goodwill for England."

Sir Seymour Howard spent about eight days in Moscow, during which he had talks with Kremlin officials and, though with an interpreter, talked with ordinary people in the street.

"When the news from Geneva came through, they were all quietly confident, and I think the conference had justised their hopes of it."—China Mail Special.

## Fishing Boat Released

Tokyo, July 27.

A Japanese salmon fishing boat returned to a Hokkaido port last night following six days detention at Nishinoyama Port in the Soviet-controlled Kuroshima Island in mid-July.

The boat was seized by the Russians while operating on the Kuroshima Island on July 15.—China Mail Special.

## Britain's Atomic Expert Receives Degree



Britain's Harwell Atomic expert Sir John Cockcroft was among the world-famous personalities who were awarded degrees at the Lisbon Coimbra University, recently. Picture shows: Sir John Cockcroft, the Dean of the Coimbra University—and the British Ambassador to Lisbon—after Sir John had received the 'Honoris Causa' degree.—Express Photo.

## Senate Committee Traces Missing Union Funds

Washington, July 27.

A Senate Labour Sub-committee reported on Wednesday night it has traced more than \$573,000 missing from the American Federation of Labour's Union Drivers Union welfare fund to a Chicago bank account controlled by Eugene C. James, the Union's Secretary-Treasurer.

Mr James refused to testify when summoned before the Committee some time ago and has recently been cited by the Senate for contempt of Congress.

The Sub-Committee, headed by Senator Paul Douglas (Democrat, Illinois), said in its report that the \$573,000 was

part of nearly \$1,000,000 "embezzled" from the union insurance fund. The nearly one-third of all employers' contributions for worker insurance coverage.

The report said an additional \$108,000 in insurance company fees and moneys from local union's welfare fund found its way into the James bank account and all the money was withdrawn, the account having been closed out in May 1954.

Turning to another case, the report said \$220,000 was withdrawn without any accounting from the welfare fund of the Joiners, Cleaners and Caulkers Union Local No. 62, Chicago.

The Committee said the fund was under the sole control of the Local's President, Edward T. Gallagher.

"The evidence reflected that a large portion of the money in this fund," the Committee said, "was spent on items bearing no relationship to welfare benefits, such as Cadillac trips to Florida, payments to athletic clubs and taverns, and many cash withdrawals."

The Committee said copies of the report, together with transcripts of its hearings were being sent to the Justice Department and Internal Revenue Service "for consideration as to possible prosecution."—Associated Press.

## Tribute To Churchill's Career Of Service

Washington, July 27.

The Senate Foreign Relations Committee today unanimously approved a resolution by Senator George Smathers paying tribute to Sir Winston Churchill on his long career of service.

The resolution was co-sponsored by 51 other Senators, including the chairman, Sen. Walter George, and many other members of the Committee.

The Smathers proposal expresses the "profound hope" of the Senate that the former Prime Minister "may be spared for many more years of useful and honourable service."

The measure does not require House approval. The resolution also voices the Senate's "high appreciation of the outstanding contribution this truly great statesman has made to the cause of freedom and of his tireless efforts in behalf of world peace."

### ALWAYS REMEMBER

It further said his role "in connection with the efforts of the free world to stem the tide of Fascist totalitarianism, thereby freeing millions from slavery, will always be remembered by free men throughout the world."

The Committee also approved a "quest over the better" resolution by Senator Stuart Symington, calling on the President to take up in the United Nations the possibilities of working toward disarmament by limiting the proportion of each nation's resources that can be spent for arms.

Both resolution go to the Senate for final action.—United Press.

## TWO BODIES WASHED UP

Yarmouth, July 27.

The bodies of two women both wearing similar red hand-knit cardigans were washed up by the sea yesterday within 12 hours of each other on different parts of the beach at Yarmouth, English Channel holiday centre. One was aged about 50 and the other about 15.

Both wore clothes from the same chain store. The girl's red hand-knit name Carolyn Clarke but no address.—China Mail Special.

## Himalayan Expedition Turned Back

### Chinese Refuse Permission

Kathmandu, July 27.

Chinese authorities have turned back an international Himalayan expedition attempting to reach Gyachung Kung (25,910 feet) at Dingboche, a small village on the Nepal side of Everest, according to press reports here yesterday.

The expedition's leader, Norman Tyndraforth of Los Angeles, has now requested the Nepalese Government's permission to attempt the conquest of Lhotse (27,980 feet), second highest peak of the Everest massif.

It is expected that the expedition will follow the successful Himalayan expedition's route as far as the South Col (28,000 feet).—Reuter.

## 1,500 Suffer From Food Poisoning

Tokyo, July 27.

Employees suffering from symptoms of food poisoning at the Kobe Steel Works rose to 1,500 by noon today.

By 10 a.m. today 500 workers stayed away from work while 500 others showed up still ailing.

Food served at lunch yesterday was believed responsible.

The outbreak cut the company's operating capacity to 70 per cent of normal.—China Mail Special.

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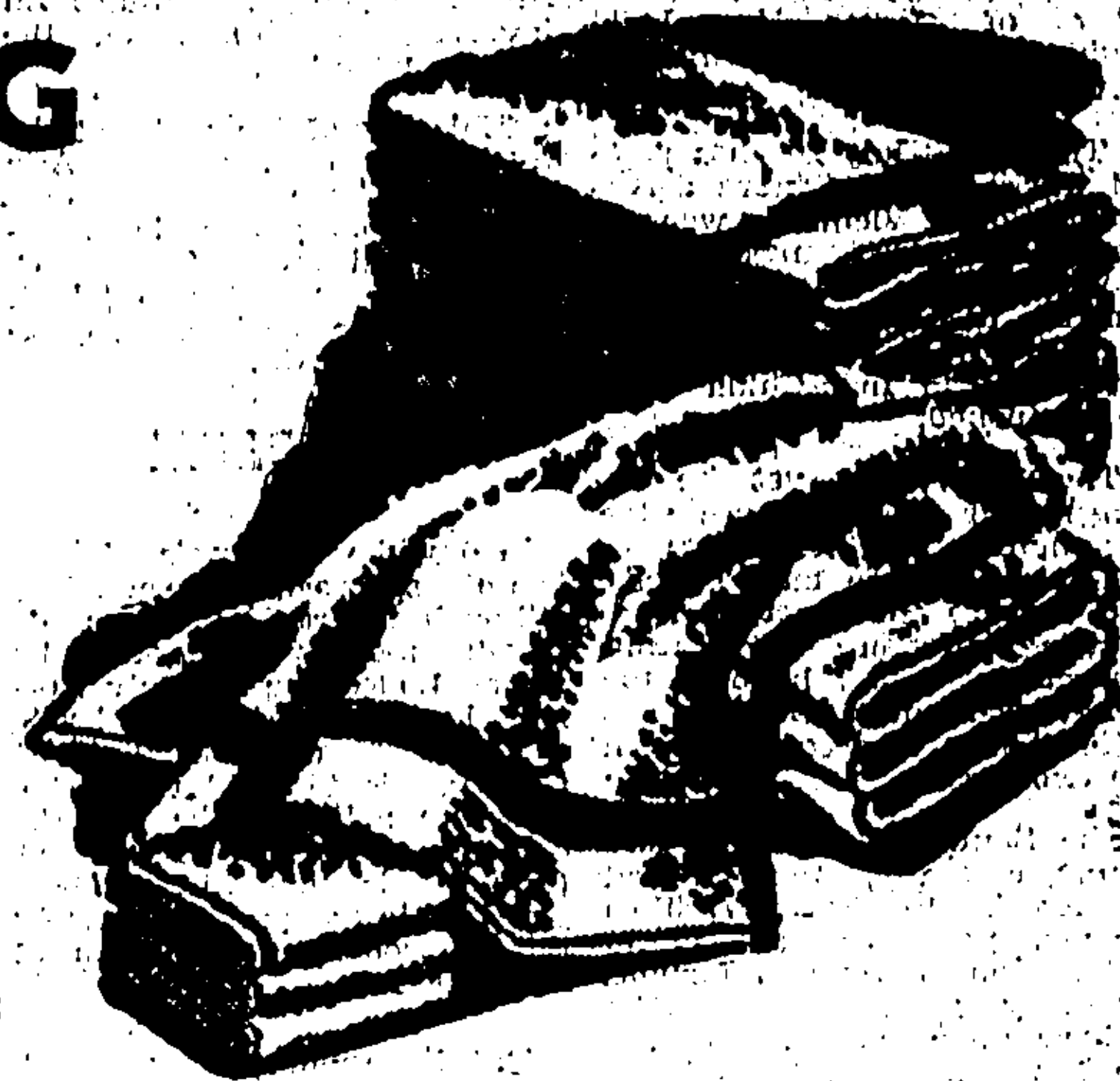
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# 36 MEN UNDER 4:10 FOR THE MILE—BUT UNDER FOUR IS NOT SO EASY

By "RECORDER"

Thirty-six men have run the Mile under 4 minutes 10 seconds this year. Three, all in the same race at London's White City, crashed the four-minute barrier. We may—or may not—see another one this year.

There are still two big international matches in England—against Germany this coming week-end and later against Hungary—to come off and there is the Emsley Carr Mile at the second British Games still to come and probably quite a few international Mile races in the Scandinavian countries in the late summer and autumn.

The great John Landy once remarked that he could turn out an under-4:10 Mile any day without taking too much out of himself, but if he went under 4:05 it took him quite a few days to recover from it.

At Copenhagen on July 21, Denmark's Gunnar Nielsen ran a Mile in 4:03.4. He was runner-up to Roger Bannister last year in the European Games, 1,500 Metres at Rome. But he doesn't look to be in the under four-minute class despite his known abilities as one of the world's greatest Half Milers.

## A GREAT SEASON

It has been a great season in Europe over the Metric Mile—the 1,500 Metres—with 30 men already having beaten 3 minutes 50 seconds—and the question arises as to whether there are any potential four-minute Milers among these men.

Experience has shown that only Metric Milers who have

run the distance in 3:44.0 or under are potentially good for four-minute Mile barrier-breaking.

Besides Taber, Chataway and Howson, who clocked 3:43.8, 3:43.8 and 3:43.2 on their way to the White City in May, there are only two other sub-3:44.0 Metric Milers on this year's list to date.

They are the Hungarians, Istvan Rozsavolgyi and Sandor Iharos, who have clocked 3:42.2 and 3:42.0 respectively. The two Hungarians have ahead of them one of the toughest international seasons in history and Iharos' concentration will be more on the 3,000 Metres, Two Miles and 5,000 Metres.

But the Mile of the Year would require them both, as well as Chataway, Howson and Taber. That may come in the Emsley Carr Mile, but it is doubtful that the Hungarians will

be able to fit that into their programme.

## BETTER THAN Santee?

Fred Dwyer, now on a European tour, looks a better prospect for being the first American to break the barrier than the luckless Wes Santee, if only judging by his pick-up of speed in recent months over 800 Metres.

He did 1:50.4 at Stockholm, some three or four seconds faster than he has ever gone before. His best Mile this year is 4:01.8, which is near enough to the barrier.

Santee will also be on a European tour later this summer, but the four-minute barrier seems to affect him psychologically. He has the greatest number of near-misses in history in his effort to break the barrier and is a very much discouraged Miller.

America's Bob Seaman, who has recorded 4:01.4 this year, is on a European tour also and is doing far from well. One of the youngest Milers of class in action today, his whole season has been one of ups and downs and he is probably all washed up this year as far as further progress is concerned.

Two young Finns, both in their first season in the top class, look good prospects. Olavi Vuorisalo and Matti Huttunen have clocked 3:40.0 and 3:40.4—very good efforts for the Finnish early season—and there is no knowing at the moment how much potential there is in them.

Scandinavia's middle distance runners have a way of either rising to phenomenal heights or inexplicably slowing down.

## ASTONISHING

One of the most astonishing phenomena on the European middle distance season this year has been an East German, Klaus Richtzenhain, who started the season in startling style and has kept on improving. His best to date is 3:47.0 for 1,500 Metres. Last year he had not even broken the four-minute barrier for the Metric Mile, never mind the Mile proper.

Looking them all over, the best prospect for the next man under four minutes for the Mile looks to be Sheffield's Ken Wood, with a best for the season of 4:01.8.

Wood has been running into shape steadily and unhurriedly. He has beaten the best this season by Chataway and Howson, but he showed last year that he preferred August and September for his best efforts with his 4:04.8 victory over Fred Wyatt and Taber in last year's Emsley Carr Mile.

Best times over 1,500 Metres and One Mile this year are appended:

## 1,500 METRES RUN

3:42.2	Istvan Rozsavolgyi (Hungary)
3:42.0	Sandor Iharos (Hungary)
3:43.8	Brian Hewson (GB)
3:43.8	Chris Chataway (GB)
3:43.8	Lazio Taber (Hungary)
3:43.8	Wes Santee (USA)
3:43.8	Peter Seaman (USA)
3:44.0	Olavi Vuorisalo (Finland)
3:44.0	Matti Huttunen (Finland)
3:44.0	Fred Dwyer (USA)
3:47.0	Klaus Richtzenhain (GDR)
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3:47.0	Vladimir Korokov (USSR)
3:47.4	Paul Lawrence (Germany)
3:47.4	Ingemar Eriksson (Sweden)
3:47.8	Jorma Junkkari (Finland)
3:47.8	John Evans (GB)
3:48.0	Brekeke Radatsi (Yugoslavia)
3:48.0	Frank Lambert (Finland)
3:48.0	Hans Lauer (Germany)
3:48.0	Guenter Eibner (Germany)
3:48.0	Gordon Pirie (GB)
3:48.0	Chitko Oniz (Turkey)
3:48.0	Frank Lambert (Finland)
3:48.0	Alexander Zvolensky (Czech)
3:48.0	Dusan Cikel (Czech)

## ONE MILE RUN

3:59.0	Lazio Taber (Hungary)
3:59.0	Chris Chataway (GB)
3:59.0	Brian Hewson (GB)
3:59.0	Bob Seaman (USA)
3:59.0	Ken Wood (GB)
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## Sports Diary

TODAY

Open Pairs Championship matches at CCC, KBOC, HKFC, HKCC, HKSC, HKTC.

TOMORROW

Bowls

Open Pairs Championship matches at HKFC, HKCC, HKSC, HKTC.

SATURDAY

Bowls

First Division: HKFC v HKCC, HKSC v HKTC, HKCC v HKFC, HKSC v HKTC.

Second Division: HKCC v HKFC, HKSC v HKTC, HKCC v HKFC, HKSC v HKTC.

Third Division: HKCC v HKFC, HKSC v HKTC, HKCC v HKFC, HKSC v HKTC.

Baseball

Braves v US Navy, 4:30 p.m. King's Park.

## BASEBALL RESULTS

New York, July 27.

Major League baseball results today were:

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Chicago, The Chicago Cubs defeated the New York Giants, 9-8, in the second game of a double-header on Wednesday, after the Braves ended a six game losing streak by winning the opener, 4-2. The two games were played in a record July temperature of 100.4 degrees Fahrenheit.

R H E

New York 8 15 1

Chicago 9 10 1

Winning Pitcher - Tim Lincecum.

Losing Pitcher - Tom Seaver.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Boston, Jim Piersall, three-run homer and Tom Brewer's effective six-hit pitching enabled the Boston Red Sox to beat Cleveland 6-2 today.

R H E

Boston 6 13 1

Cleveland 2 8 0

Winning Pitcher - Tom Seaver.

Losing Pitcher - Tom Seaver.

Home runs—Cleveland, Wertz, Boston, Piersall.

New York, Walter Dropo drove in three runs with a trio of singles to spearhead the Chicago White Sox to a 7-4 victory over New York on Wednesday that cut the Yankees' first place lead over the Sox to one game.

R H E

Chicago 7 13 0

New York 4 7 1

Byrd, Martin (8), Howell (8) and Lollar, Lopat, Sturdivant (2), Weller (4), Morgan (9) and Berra, W-Byrd, L-Lopat.

Home run—New York, Collins.

Washington, Kansas City clipped Maury McDermott for two runs in the eleventh inning to defeat Washington, 4-3, on Wednesday night in the first game of a double-header after Tom Umpflett tied the score for the Senators at 4-4 in the ninth inning with a two-run homer.

R H E

Kansas City 6 14 1

Washington 4 12 1

—Associated Press.

## Trainer Expelled From Professional Soccer Circles For Life

Paris, July 27.

Charles Nicolas, trainer of the Red Star Football Club, which has been accused of gaining its place in the First Division of French professional football last season by unsportsmanlike tactics, has been expelled from French professional football circles for life.

The sentence was passed by the Management Committee of the French professional group which held a meeting to consider the allegations that the Red Star club paid members of other clubs to beat their most important rivals to ensure Red Star a place in the First Division next season.

Nicolas was accused of having paid out large sums of money in bonuses.

GOODWOOD CUP

Probable Starters And Jockeys

London, July 28.

Probable starters with jockeys for the Goodwood Cup, to be run over two miles, five furlongs at 1400 GMT at Goodwood today (Thursday), are: Bitter Sweet (W.H. Carr), Elpenor (E. Mercer), Babylonian (J. Mercer), By Thunder (W. Smith), Blarney Stone (D. Smith), Running Water (A. Breen), Prescription (W. Hickoby) and Double Bore (T. Golling).

All carry 9 stone.—China Mail Special.

## Ascot's New Course Gives Fast Times

By RICHARD BAERLEIN

Major Sir John Crocker Bute, the Ascot Clerk of the Course, and the Duke of Norfolk, the Queen's representative at Ascot, deserve the thanks of all racegoers for the improvements they have made there during the past year.

Ascot's new look earned many compliments and further improvements will be made during the coming winter.

Even on the Gold Cup day, when there appeared to be an all-time record crowd, people had space to move around. Visibility has been vastly improved for every section of the public.

The going was exceptionally fast and at this early stage it is difficult to judge the severity of the course. The Aga Khan's flying filly, Palace, put up the best time over the five-furlong course, doing even better than Pappa Fourway. She covered the five furlongs in 52.2 seconds.

Her conqueror at Sandown, Hustam, did 52.2 sec. a week earlier. The Sandown record is 52.2 sec. so it is probable that this new Ascot course, over sprint distances is very little harder than Sandown.

MILE COURSE

The mile course can also be compared to Sandown. Nicholas Nickleby did 1 min. 42.9 sec. over the new Hunt Cup course. This would be very fast on the Sandown mile and within a second of the record.

The short straight, which is only just over two furlongs, makes it essential in distance races for a jockey to take up a position before entering the straight. In this respect, the course resembles Kempton Park, but on top of the ground I do not think it would be possible to ride a waiting race on the mile and a half course at Ascot in a big field.

Time and again races went to horses which were in the first few entering the straight.

THREE FOR SMYTH

Never in Ascot's history can there have been such an even distribution of prize money. In the 30 races run during the week, 30 different owners were successful, and 30 different breeders.

It was unfortunate that the two richest races should go to France and Italy, but England never really had any hopes of winning the Gold Cup.

The Arundel trainer, Willy Smyth, came out best of the trainers with three winners, followed by Noel Marless and Alec Head, who each saddled two winners.

The Champion jockey, Doug Smith, shared riding honours with Harry Carr, both having four winners. It is rare for Jack Jarvis to come away from Ascot without saddling a winner, but there is no doubt that he was unlucky to lose the Ascot Stakes with Prescription.

OPPORTUNISM

The standard of jockeyship at the meeting was better than we have seen during the rest of the season and a particular word of praise should be given to Manny Mercer, who has not

been so successful as in previous seasons. When winning on Prince Barle and Whirane, he showed great opportunism.

Ascot remains essentially a fair-weather course, but the two chiefly responsible for its re-organisation are gradually turning it into the finest racing festival in the world.

—(London Express Service).

## OPEN SINGLES

Guterres Goes Out To Dick Rosset

G. A. Guterres, who eliminated Colony champion A. H. Seem in the Open Singles Lawn Bowls Championship on Tuesday, yesterday crashed to KCC's Dick Rosset at the Kowloon Bowling Green.

At Recreation Ismail Ali came near to beating Bill Hong Sling, but the KCC bowler came up with a much needed triple in the final head to edge the Indian Recreation Club player 23-20.

In the Open Pairs tournament, two unpublished Crutcher bowlers, A. M. L. Soares and J. J. Kelleher beat Bill Ogley and Francis Lee 19-12 for a major upset.

THE RESULTS

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## Roy Ulyett...Cashing in

BEFORE WE STARTS TRAINING, YOU CAN CUT OUT THIS SHOUTING ICA DA CREAM AND HOTTA DA CHESTNUT 'CAUSE NONE OF YOU IS GETTING AN ITALIAN TRANSFER



## POOLS HELP TO PAY THEM

## Lotus Land For Soccer Stars

By ROY PESKETT

Let us investigate the Fortunes of Firmani (Eddie). What makes it possible for an Italian Soccer club to pay Charlton Athletic £35,000 for this 22-year-old South African footballer, to put about £5,000 in his personal account, and to pay him weekly sums of up to £150 for a season running from September 1 to June 30?

It is easy to imagine what some of our own footballers will feel when on the next pay-day they draw a maximum of £15, less tax, and when during the season, if their team wins, they earn the vast extra of £2—or half that for a drawn game.

A winning day can mean the "gift" from his new club, Sampdoria, to Firmani of perhaps £100, or, from one of the wealthy friends of the club a suit, or even a motor-car.

The answer to it all is really quite simple. In Italy each Soccer club is part of a social club, with thousands of members, each of whom pays a handsome subscription which ensures access to sport and social facilities in magnificent surroundings, such as that little piece of paradise known as the Juventus Club in Turin.

These subscriptions help to subsidise the Soccer team.

PATRONAGE

In addition a club may have a wealthy patron as president—two I know of are millionaires—and the fierce pride the patrons have for their club is reflected in the vast amount of money spent on the stars annually.

Even more important—and this must make many of our "in-the-red" clubs gnash their teeth with envy—about ten million pounds sterling is annually allocated to football from the State pools.

The money allocated by the Olympic Committee, helps to pay for Youth football and new stadiums. This season, for the second year in succession, the big clubs are also to benefit direct. The vast sums spent by each club on travelling expenses in fulfilling league fixtures are to be paid back to them from the pools allocation.

Nice work, especially when you think that when Odense, down on the Austrian border, set off to play Palermo, in Sicily, they take a week over it. And no Italian footballer would be seen in anything but the best hotels!

NOT ALL HONEY

That, then, is the sort of lotus land into which Firmani has been plucked. But it's not all honey. Last season fourteen players of Juventus, then the

league leaders, refused to turn out until they got higher bonuses; the Italian Federation investigated 329 cases of bribery and corruption.

But the Italian spectator certainly loves his football, and is voracious in his enjoyment. I well remember reading in a Florence paper, after England and Italy had played a 1-1 draw there in May 1952, that 3,250 people had been treated for laryngitis through cheering too much!

The standard of shooting continues to improve and a total of eight of the twenty-one teams competing exceeded the score of 50.

Particularly close results were those in the matches between 7th Q.O. Hussars and Comd. Pay Office won by the former by three points only, and that in which District Workshops, R.E.M.E. "B" beat 2/7 Gurkha Rifles "B" by four points.

RESULTS

The results of the weeks' matches are as follows:

Comd Workshops 670 vs. 11 Int Wksp 571

40 Div Prov Coy 590 vs. 8 Coy RASC 521

Northampton "A" 570 vs. 114 RA 40 Div 425

Northampton "B" 520 vs. 114 RA 354

Field RA 515 vs. North Shals 531

COD 508 vs. 43 Gurkha's 545

40 Div Prov Coy 590 vs. 114 RA 512

District Workshops 570 vs. CPO 520

2nd Wksp "A" 576 vs. HKOTU 563

Dist Wksp "B" 571 vs. 2/7 Gurkha's 571

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## Belgrade To Get Whole New Town Quarter

Belgrade, July 27.

Work is going ahead this year on a big town planning scheme for Belgrade to double its present population (506,000) to over a million in twenty years' time.

The scheme was launched by Yugoslavia's Communist town planners after World War II, but initial work was frequently suspended because of lack of funds.

It is admitted to be ambitious, since it necessitates building a whole new quarter on the four miles of marshland beside the Sava River which at present divide the Yugoslav capital from the town of Zemun, with its 33,000 inhabitants.

A visitor might think it more practical for Belgrade to expand to the east and south, where the ground is hilly and firm, as it is in Belgrade itself. But the Communist planners deliberately chose to unite Belgrade with Zemun to the west, because of its, to them, great political significance.

### Catholic Croatia

Zemun, historically part of Catholic Croatia, used to be an outpost of Austro-Hungary and, in World War II, of the puppet "Independent State of Croatia," whence foreign soldiers would look down their gun sights at Serb Orthodox Belgrade.

The union of Belgrade and Zemun would thus symbolise the unity of the country, and the end of hatred between Catholic Croat and Orthodox Serb in Marshal Tito's classless socialist Yugoslavia.

The traveller entering Belgrade this summer from the west will see men working on the shell of huge building and, around it, a desert of sand which is being deliberately dumped there to fill the marsh-land.

This building is to have 900 offices and will house all the main Government departments. Its shell has stood, untouched, for the past five years. Unfriendly voices used to call it "Tito's Folly" and alleged that it would never be finished because its foundations were reported to be sinking.

Belgrade authorities said that work had stopped because of lack of funds.

Work was resumed, this year, however, and the first of three stages in building and reclaiming and releveling the ground around it, is scheduled to be completed in 1956. The whole project will cost about 10,000 million dinars (nearly £12,000,000 sterling).

### Move Airport

Eventually, Belgrade airport, which is nearby, and the main railway station will be removed to other sites and the whole area covered with parks and housing estates. But that is for the future.

The new quarter, which overlooks the Sava on one side and the Danube on another, will have river promenades and an amusement park on an island in the Danube which at present is uninhabited because it floods when the water is high.

Work was going ahead this summer on other projects, too. A new bridge across the Sava, connecting Belgrade with Zemun, was being built by two Yugoslav and one West German firm.

Its central span, of 263 metres, was claimed to be the longest

for this type of construction in Europe. To be finished by the end of the year, it will replace a dilapidated looking bridge put up temporarily at the end of the war and still doing service.

The city planners believe that the traffic using this new bridge will be too heavy to debouch along existing streets into the city centre without causing blockages.

They are therefore building a four carriage tunnel one and a half metres (about 5 feet) under the main square, the "Terazije," so that traffic entering Belgrade from the west will drive under the city centre before fanning out behind it.

Office blocks are also being built over this tunnel. A city engineer said that the idea had been partly suggested by the construction of a hotel and other buildings over a railway tunnel at the Waverley Station in Edinburgh.

### Building Tunnel

At present, a visitor would not realise that a tunnel is being built, as all work visible from the Terazije is hidden by board-  
ing. This project is to be ready in two years.

Nearly, new office blocks have been built and an old prison was pulled down so that Belgrade had a new square—"Marx and Engels Square"—in time for the last May Day parade.

These projects are going on simultaneously with the building of houses, hospitals and hotels, in an attempt to ease Belgrade's accommodation crisis.—China Mail Special.

## Argentine Quins' 12th Birthday



### Savage Crimes

## Police Chiefs Alarmed

London, July 27.

British police chiefs today declared that they were "alarmed" at the number of persons arrested for committing the most savage and brutal offences who were subsequently found to have been released mental patients.

They were "concerned" about the apparent ease with which persons certified to be of unsound mind and who have displayed sexual and other vicious tendencies obtain freedom to move as they will on parole or on trial or by securing their complete discharge.

The Association of Chief Police Officers of England and Wales told a Royal Commission studying existing laws relating to mental illness and deficiency that present regulations lacked control and safeguards of known mental patients.—China Mail Special.

## CHIMNEYS DISAPPEAR FROM NZ HOUSES

## NZ HOUSES Hydro-Electric Power Development Has Its Effect

Wellington, July 27.

The development of hydro-electric power is leading to the disappearance from New Zealand houses of the traditional chimney.

Until a recent fairly sharp rise in price, electricity from the hydro-electric plants was supplied at a very cheap rate. Attracted by its cleanliness and convenience, nearly all new house builders are installing electricity for all heating and lighting, with the result that the all-electric home is becoming a typical New Zealand house.

During the past twelve months, house building has reached an all-time record, but builders are still faced with many problems of construction and material which are not met with by builders in other countries. It may be that from recent technical developments a traditional New Zealand housing type will emerge.

### FIRST SETTLERS

The first settlers, when they left the "camping" stage, held fast to the type of houses which they had known in the home-land. But violent earth tremors in various parts of the country soon weaned them away from brick and stone houses and timber houses with iron roofs became fairly general.

A few of the earlier homes are still standing, a notable example being a large stone building on the Otago peninsula, between Dunedin and the city's port. It was constructed by a man named Larnach who imported both stone and stone-masons to erect it and had it constructed in the style of a mediaeval castle, except that the moat was missing.

It is still known as Larnach's Castle and, like many English castles, is now only a show place.

However, this building was not only freakish but also unique, as far as New Zealand building of the period was concerned. The general style was a cottage with high gabled roof—to throw off the snow.

There were a few palatial homes, mainly in the colonial style of the southern States of the United States, but also with high-pitched roofs.

Then the early settlers discovered that there was little snow throughout the greater part of the country and the high gables began to disappear.

### LITTLE CHANGE

There was little change other-wise, apart from a few "advanced" settlers who had built-in bath tubs.

About the beginning of the present century the style changed to the tropical bungalow complete with surrounding verandahs to shade the sun.

This type changed again quickly, the verandahs being dropped as unnecessary in the temperate climate and as wasteful of floor-space beneath the roof.

The type of cottage that emerged has changed little over the past fifty years, but the actual home itself has changed considerably.

The "bungalow" type, without verandah, was still of timber construction and generally still is. But the early models were also lined with timber which, in turn was covered with hessian or paper to hold the wall-paper. Timber was also used for ceilings, to give way for a time to pressed steel sheets.

Then plaster sheets with fibre reinforcing came into use and this was and still is, largely used for both linings and ceilings, some of the latter being very ornate.

### IN FAR SOUTH

In the far south, where earthquakes are rare and of low intensity, there was a general move towards more permanent materials and outer walls were constructed of both stucco and single brick.

During the last twenty years more spectacular changes have taken place. Timber construction still holds pride of place in the north but many other materials have been tried with success.

Flat roofs have proved popular to a limited degree, the majority of them being of bitumen covered with a layer of pebbles as protection against the destructive effects of the sun.

The modern New Zealanders have also become more "sun conscious" and window space has increased greatly in many homes.

A recent trend has been towards the "two-level" home, a useful method on many hillside sections in three of the main cities.

The development of reinforced concrete and stressed concrete has not had much influence in the building of the average home. Both are used largely, however, for the construction of flats where the larger structure lends itself to the more permanent type of building, and fire-proofing is important.

A New Zealand industry has introduced the asbestos-cement siding to replace weatherboard, but this is still nailed to a wooden frame.

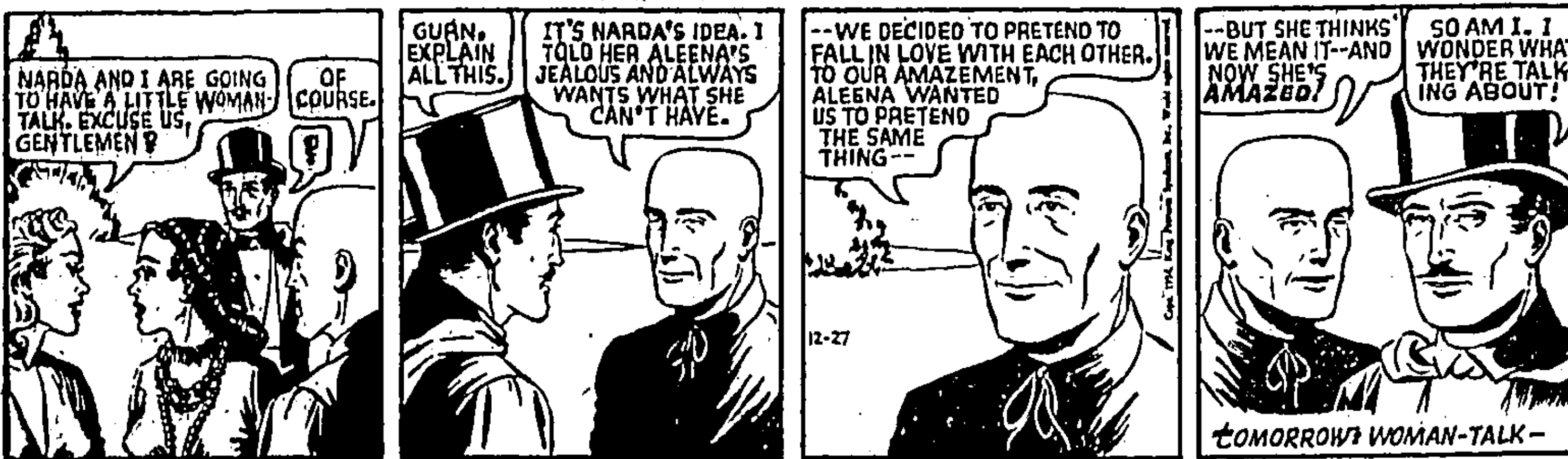
### SMALL AMOUNT

A small amount of building has been done with concrete, vibro-blocks, but fear of earthquake damage has restricted their use.

More and more study is being given to the improvement of the home and great advances are certain in the near future. What they will be it is difficult to forecast, but the decreasing timber supplies and the proven stability of pre-stressed concrete are probably a good indication.

A more permanent type of home is certainly needed if the persisting housing shortage is to be overcome. It cannot be found in timber because wood-boring pests flourish in the mild climate, and have always caused great expense to home-builders throughout the country, especially in the warmer North.—China Mail Special.

## MANDRAKE THE MAGICIAN



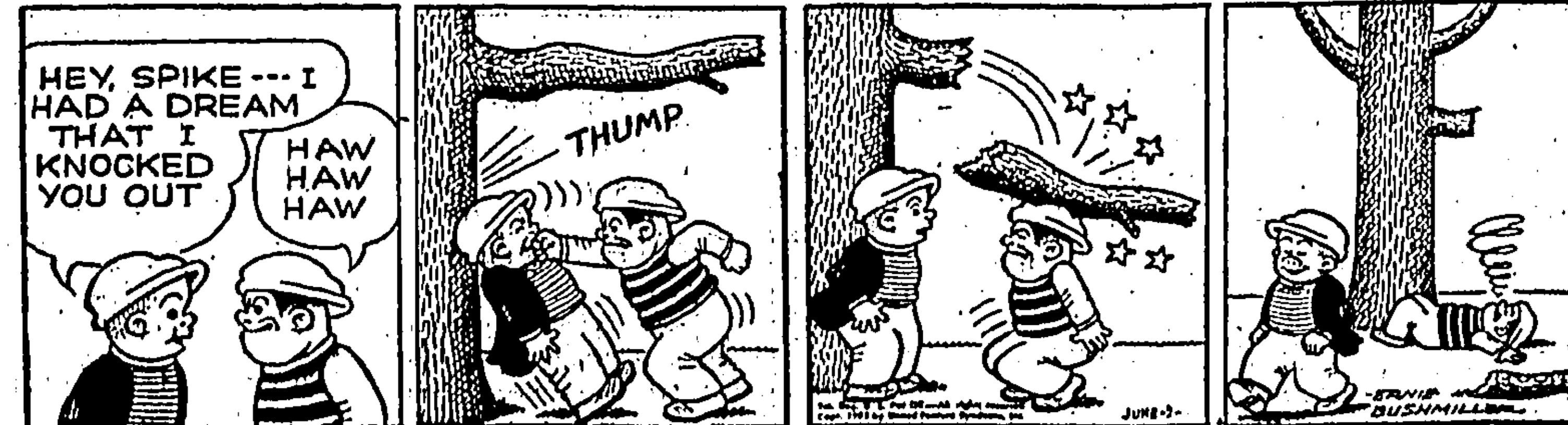
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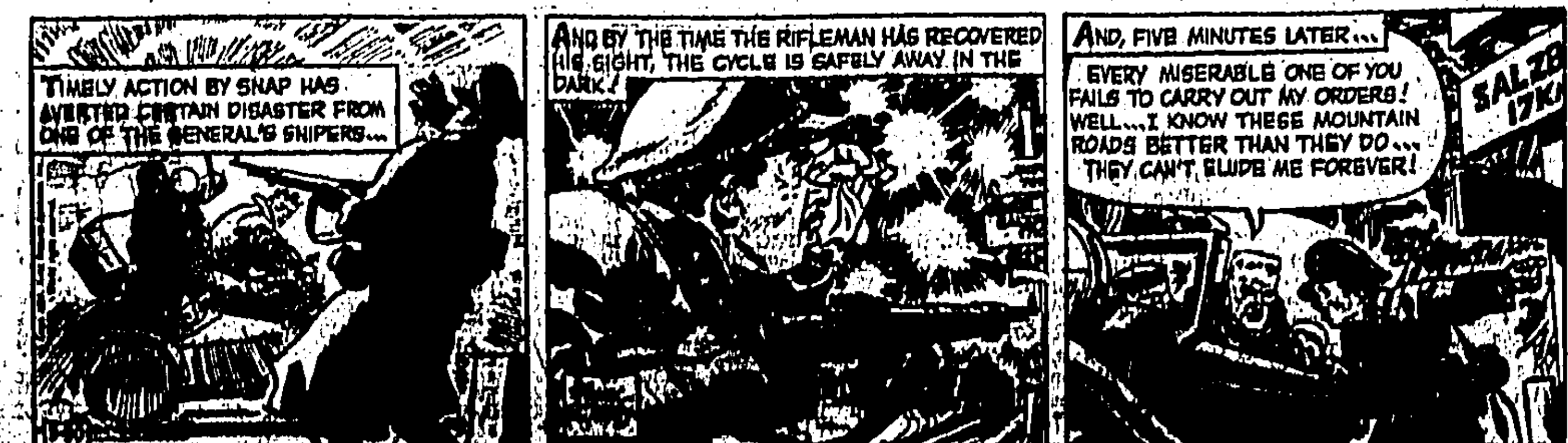
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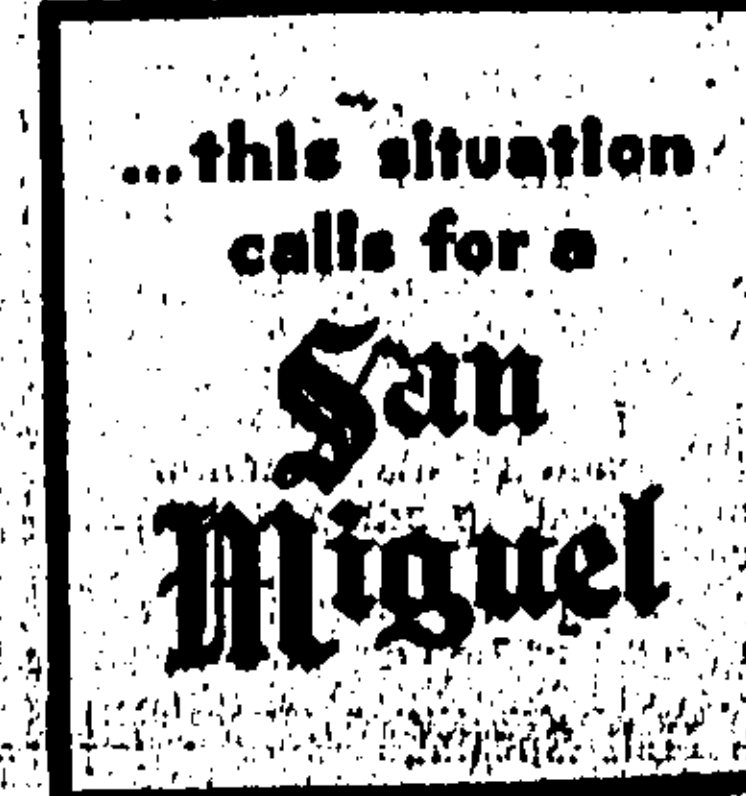
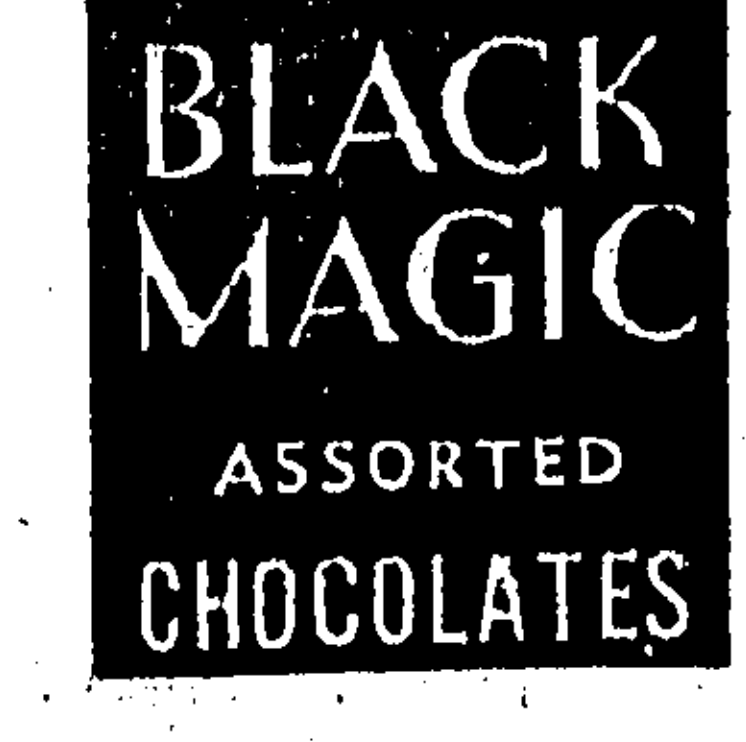


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### NOTICE TO PASSENGERS

**SAILS:** Friday, 29th July at 12.00 noon for the UNITED KINGDOM via Straits, Colombo, Bombay, Aden and Port Said.

**BAGGAGE:** Passengers are requested to send ALL BAGGAGE to the Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf Co.'s Godown at No. 2 GATE, CANTON ROAD ENTRANCE, by Noon on Thursday, 28th July.

**SPECIAL NOTE:** With the exception of hand packages carried by passengers themselves, ALL BAGGAGE must pass through the Wharf Co.'s Godown for loading on board by ship's slings only.

**EMBARKATION:** Passengers should embark between 9.30 and 11.00 a.m. on Friday, 29th July, 1955.

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THURSDAY, JULY 28, 1955.

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ADMIRAL "SNORKEL" PEN

## JOHN CLARKE'S CASEBOOK

### Afternoon Off

BEYOND the village the South Downs swept up in soft-green guide-book splendour towards the sky and towards the sea.

The village's High Street did double duty, for it was also a main road from London to the Sussex coast. This fact caused some motorists to curse and complain and others to be grateful at being slowed down (as traffic-lights, right-angle bends, errand-boys and the east-going nature of the inhabitants caused them to be) in surroundings as pretty as those the village provided.

The last sort often drew in from the traffic-flow and called at the house of a fair-haired, friendly woman named Veronica.

#### ENVY

FOR outside the house hung a notice announcing: Teas, and inside, in a pleasant room full of gate-legged tables and the sweet, mingling scents of fresh-cut flowers and furniture-polish, Veronica each day dispensed morning coffees, lunch-time snacks, and afternoon teas to those who called.

And some of those who came, middle-aged ladies in particular, said to each other over their cups: "You know it must be wonderfully peaceful to run a place like this, and live in a village like this."

For her part, Veronica, seeing her patrons come and go, knew envy too: "To be free," she thought, "like them, free to go when you pleased to London or the coast—no tied like this."

#### A KIND OF FRENZY

ONE day, Veronica did award herself an afternoon off. She made for the coast, for Brighton, to do some shopping. She saw wonderful things in the shops, far more things than she wanted, than she could afford to buy. She began to feel.

She started cautiously, and then a kind of frenzy seized her and recklessly she helped herself to a cardigan, eight jumpers, two shirts, a pair of gloves. She was caught.

#### THE FORTRESS

A FEW days later, as just about the time when she should have been busy serving morning coffees at her home, Veronica surrendered to her ball at Brighton magistrates' court.

The court sits in the town hall, which rises grey and nusterly barrack-like from among the narrow, pretty lanes called the Twittings, a stone's throw and a half from the sea.

Veronica's name was called, and she appeared, looking tiny and scared, from somewhere out of the depths of a dock so vast and formidably walled that she might have been looking over the ramparts of a fortress upon a besieging enemy.

#### BACK TO THE VILLAGE

VERONICA pleaded guilty, and the story of her crime was briefly told to the bench of three—one man and two women. "There are no previous convictions," said a sun-tanned policeman.

Veronica herself had nothing to say, and just stood sobbing quietly into a minute handkerchief, while the magistrates put their heads together, deciding what her fate was to be.

They made up their minds in a matter of moments, and the chairman said, more sorrow than censure in his tone: "You must pay a fine of £15. Would you like time to pay?" Veronica nodded, and was given the time she needed.

"That's all, thank you," said the courteous chairman. Veronica disappeared from sight, and presently left the court, to catch a bus back to her home in the village.

"What a wonderful life," her customers thought, seeing her that afternoon, as she bustled about, providing them with her famous teas. "When you think of the troubles we have, who live in towns, and compare the nervous strains we undergo to their peace and contentment here."

## Minister On Trial For Alleged Heresy

Milwaukee, July 27.

A Church Trial Court scheduled a closed meeting tonight to delve into 14 allegations of heresy against a young Lutheran minister.

The heresy hearing was the first in the 60-year history of the Northwest Synod of the Lutheran Church and the first of any synod of the United Lutheran Church since the 1920's.

## Macmillan's Note Of Caution

London, July 27.

Mr Harold Macmillan, British Foreign Secretary, tonight warned the House of Commons against premature optimism over the October four-power talks, declaring that if the Western democracies relax their efforts "we are lost."

He declared: "If we show courage, determination and an understanding of both sides of this question and persevere and come through what may be a prolonged test of nerves, of strength and will, then I really believe we may be at the beginning of a new and fruitful period in the history of men's life on earth."

Mr Macmillan was winding up a debate on the Geneva conference, which had been launched by a full report on the "summit" meeting by Prime Minister Sir Anthony Eden.

The Foreign Secretary declared: "We all know how there can be no victor in a modern war. But I think we must be careful that a new illusion does not take its place."

#### WILL TO RESIST

It was only true that there could be no victor if the will and power to resist were maintained "until these final settlements are made in spite of all temptations to relaxation during these dangerous and formative years."

Referring to the October meeting of the "Big Four" foreign ministers, Mr Macmillan said these negotiations would subject the Western democracies to "new and severe pressures."

Discussing German reunification, he referred to a recent speech by Marshal Bulganin and said: "There is a gulf between us and it is no use pretending that it has been bridged—it has been defined."

The position in the Far East remained "one of serious anxiety," he declared. "There is a full but it is an uneasy lull."—Reuter.

## EARTHQUAKE CASUALTIES

Tokyo, July 28.

An earthquake on Wednesday sent boulders plunging down the mountains of Shikoku Island killing one person and injuring five, police reported today.

The quake area was near Tokushima, which is about 300 miles southwest of Tokyo.

Police said the victims were engaged in lumbering or quarrying when the earth shocks loosened the rocks above them.

One highway was blocked by boulders and many roads were cracked open.—Associated Press.

## HONGKONG'S COMPETITION

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In the Manchester Guardian's opinion, Mr Henniker-Hastons' report comes down to this: "Lancashire prices are inflated because we don't make the best use of our labour and machinery and because yarn is kept too dear through price rings."

"This is one of the chief reasons why Lancashire is losing ground in high quality markets where she can still compete. The government is bound to consider this when it asks to keep Empire goods out. Has the industry justified its claim for an exclusive home market?"

## Sugar Goes Up In Smoke



Clouds of sweet smelling smoke hung over London's East End recently when 4,000 tons of raw sugar caught fire at the Victoria Docks in Silvertown. A London fire brigade truck is shown playing streams of water on to the smouldering and burning bags of sugar.—London Express Photo.

## Israel Election Deadlock Likely

Jerusalem, July 27.

A political deadlock and even new elections turned up as possibilities in Israel on Wednesday. The dilemma resulted foreshadowed a reduction of Ben Gurion's chances to rule firmly even with the customary coalition conditions.

With the count still incomplete from Tuesday's balloting, it appeared that Ben Gurion's party would lose at least five of the 45 seats it held in the previous Knesset (Parliament).

Although Tel-Aviv newspapers said that if Ben Gurion forms a government he still might command 57 of the 120 Knesset votes, it seemed doubtful that he would regard this as sufficient.

Although it was possible that he might work out a new coalition including some parties which have not participated in previous governments, such an alignment would require considerable adjustment of policies because of differences between many of the factions.

#### BIG SURPRISE

The big surprise of the count thus far has been the strength of the Herut, an extreme Right-wing, Nationalist party. This faction is expected to win around 16 Parliament seats, a jump of eight from its previous holding.

The General Zionists, formerly the second strongest party in the Knesset, apparently will drop from 23 to about 13 seats.

The last official announcement said that of 676,012 counted 216,651, or about 32.05 per cent, went to Mapai. Herut received 75,601, or 12.96 per cent; General Zionists 73,502 or 10.86 per cent; religious bloc parties 63,100 or 9.35 per cent; Ahduth Avodah, 53,849 or 7.97 per cent; Mapai 48,856 or 7.23 per cent. The rest were divided among minor parties.—Associated Press.

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## MANILA TIMES COMMENTS ON...

### Hongkong's Confidence And Optimism

Manila, July 28.

The tremendous influx of overseas capital into Hongkong during the past six months has engendered a feeling of unparalleled confidence and optimism among Hongkong industrialists.

This was reported this morning by the newspaper Manila Times after having interviewed leading industrialists and trade officials here who have something to do with Hongkong's booming trade.

The Manila Times said: "Hongkong's industry has probably reached its peak in production and occupies a fairly well-placed position in markets where the demand is for low-priced medium quality goods."

"The primary source of overseas capital which has given Hongkong industry such a great impetus comes from Chinese in the Philippines, Malaya and the United States and millions of American dollars find their way into Hongkong each year, intended for remittance to Communist China."

greater part of this money remained in Hongkong and until six months ago, most of it was invested in real estate.

#### SATURATION POINT

"Property investment soon reached saturation point and now late comers are beginning to put their money in industry."

"With adequate financing and improved skill Hongkong industry is now confident that it can take on all comers, including Japan, once the manufacturing giant of the East."

The Manila Times quoted local industrial leaders as predicting that American capital will eventually venture to Hongkong but that the "international situation will have a great deal to do with it."

The newspaper concluded: "But until a decisive step has

been taken by the United States Government, Hongkong can but sit and wait. It is however full of hope and hope was what built up Hongkong's industry." —France-Press.

## Commonwealth Supreme Court

London, July 27.

Sir Hartley Shawcross, former Socialist Attorney-General, proposed here today the setting up of a Supreme Court of the British Commonwealth to include the cream of its judicial talent.

Sir Hartley Shawcross, leading barrister and present Labour Party member of Parliament, was addressing the closing session in London of the Commonwealth and Empire Law conference of which he is joint President.

He said that while the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council was acknowledged to be a court of the very highest quality, there had naturally grown up among some Commonwealth nations—with the development of independent sovereignty—a certain dislike of appealing to a court composed mainly of British judges to upset the decision of the Supreme Court of the individual country concerned.

"The question now I think is whether we could establish in place of the existing machinery a Supreme Court of the Commonwealth and call it such to avoid any idea of the exercise of merely British sovereignty."

"I would like to explore the possibilities of such a court being established with a rather larger panel of judges so that it could meet from time to time in each Commonwealth country and would include, while sitting in any particular country, say, two or three of the highest judges of that country together with three or two of the leading judges from other countries of the Commonwealth including Britain."

"That would enable us to have in our Supreme Court the cream of judicial talent from the whole Commonwealth. It would avoid any offence to local feelings of independent nationalism and it would effect a great saving of expense and time," he said.—China Mail Special.

## History Is Made In Argentina

Buenos Aires, July 27.  
For the first time since President Peron assumed power in 1946 an anti-Peronista rival was allowed to address the nation by radio tonight to state his Party's position in the face of the President's call for a political truce.

Senator Arturo Frondizi, President of the Radical Party, the only opposition Party, of any size, declared in a 30-minute broadcast: "We want peace but not at the price of freedom or surrender of democratic principles. We would rather be persecuted than surrender these."

"No pacification is possible unless all the people's liberties are restored."

"Pacification must come through full play of the constitution and will not admit curtailment of the representative and federal system under any pretext."

He implied that if the Radicals were returned to power they would not take reprisals against citizens, who were compelled to join the Peronista party.

Frondizi said the armed forces must "neither muddle in politics nor support regimes which suppress freedom or make attempts against the freedom of the country."

Throughout his speech Peron's name was not mentioned.—Reuter.

## Decree Nisi Granted

A decree nisi, to be made absolute in three months, was granted by the acting Chief Justice, Mr Justice T. J. Gould, in the Divorce Court this morning to Yan Yau-nan, a young housewife, of 34 Hennessy Road, second floor, who petitioned for the dissolution of her marriage to Chan Wal-bun, of 86 High Street, second floor, on the grounds of adultery.

His Lordship ordered that custody of the child of the marriage be given to petitioner, and awarded costs against the respondent.

Mr Brock Bernacchi, instructed by Messrs P. C. Woo and Co., appeared for petitioner. Respondent, who was not represented, appeared in person.

## FALSE ALARM

Emergency Unit vans were rushed to 7-9 Duddell Street when the alarm rang at Central Police Station shortly after 11 a.m. today.

Police discovered it was a false alarm.

## Police Launch Runs Aground

A sergeant of Marine Police Launch No. 3 was injured when the launch struck a rock and beached at Siu A Chau in the Soko Islands, South of Lantau, early this morning.

The sergeant, who was also the coxswain of the launch, was taken back to Hongkong by another Police launch and sent to hospital.

The Police Launch No. 3 was patrolling in the area when she went aground. She sustained some damage to her bow. According to the latest information, Marine tug No. 28 has been dispatched to the scene and the salvage work will be carried out at high tide this afternoon.

## Mail Notices

The latest times of posting shown below are those for unregistered correspondence posted at G.P.O. Hongkong. The latest posting times elsewhere which, in general, are earlier than the G.P.O. times can be ascertained by enquiry at the local office.

The latest posting times for registered articles are generally one hour earlier than the times shown below. Particulars regarding parcel mails can be ascertained by enquiry at any post office.

**HOLIDAY ARRANGEMENTS**  
On Monday, August 1, 1955, the public offices at G.P.O. and C.P.O. Kowloon will open for public business from 9 a.m. to Noon. The Shingwan Post Office will open from 9 a.m. to Noon for sale of postage stamps only and all other Branch Offices will be closed.

The private box lobbies at G.P.O. and C.P.O. Kowloon will open from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. and Shingwan from 9 a.m. to Noon only.

There will be one delivery commencing at 10 a.m. and one collection from all pillar boxes.

**THURSDAY, JULY 28**  
By Air: Pakistan, Middle East, Africa, Great Britain & Europe, 6 p.m.  
By Surface: Indonesia, 5 p.m.

**FRIDAY, JULY 29**  
Thailand, Burma, India, 8 a.m.  
Formosa, Japan, Korea, 10 a.m.  
Indo-China, 11 a.m.  
Philippines, 3 p.m.  
Formosa, 5 p.m.  
Burma, 6 p.m.  
Pakistan, Middle East, Africa, Great Britain & Europe, 6 p.m.  
Japan, 6 p.m.  
U.S.A., Canada, 8 p.m.  
By Surface: China, People's Republic, 9.30 a.m.  
Formosa, 11 a.m.  
Philippines, Noon.  
Macao, 2 p.m.  
Hawaii, 3 p.m.

**SATURDAY, JULY 30**  
Thailand, Burma, India, Australia, New Zealand & Oryon, Noon.

## SIDE GLANCES By Galbraith



"Now I want all of you students to take this art class seriously! I don't expect all of you to be Rembrandts, but one of you might be a comic strip artist!"